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HARDING AND HIS PARTY DUE IN CITY TOMORROW; ENTERTAINMENT

Harding Celebrates One of 32 Wedding Anniversaries in Alaska; Visits 2 Towns

KETCHIKAN, July 9.—(By Associated Press.)—President and Mrs. Harding yesterday celebrated one of the most memorable of their 32 wedding anniversaries by arriving in Alaska, the first Chief Executive and the First Lady of the Land to ever visit the great northern Territory.

The party landed first at Metlakatla, the site of the historic missionary effort of Father Duncan, known as the apostle of Alaska.

The party spent three hours, twice as long as intended and President Harding heard first handed regarding one Alaskan problem, namely the struggle of the natives for food against the increasing inroads of the salmon canning industry.

Members of the party visited the church erected as the result of Father Duncan's efforts, talked with the Indian population of the little fishing village numbering 500 people.

Noisy Welcome
A noisy welcome was accorded at Ketchikan. Fishing boats, tugs, motorboats and other craft met the Henderson at the entrance of the harbor and escorted the transport to the dock. Every boat was black with people of the town which has a population of 1,400. The city was decorated with flowers and flags in honor of the most distinguished visitors in its long history. The weather was perfect, clear and pleasantly cool.

Party Goes Ashore
The Presidential party went ashore at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The dock was crowded. The Navy band on the Henderson and the Ketchikan band played patriotic airs and wild cheers echoed and re-echoed in the hills and mountains behind the city when President Harding stepped down the gangplank.

The Presidential party was taken in automobiles for a short ride and then to the speaker's stand in the heart of the city where 2,000 or 3,000 gathered.

President Talks
President Harding was introduced by Delegate Dan Sutherland, who joined the party at Metlakatla. The

delegate introduced the President, saying his coming means a dawn of better and brighter days for Alaska.

The President, in a brief address, declared Alaska already a source of wonder to the party emphasized the fact that the Federal government was deeply interested in the affairs of the people of Alaska and he asserted he did not know where one could go in the United States and find a better looking group of people than those before him.

Secretaries Introduced
Secretaries Work. Wallace and Hoover were then introduced, each making a brief address.

The women of Ketchikan gave Mrs. Harding a chain and locket made of gold nuggets.

The party was then taken on a drive of the city while the Navy Band, by direction of the President, gave a concert for the townspeople.

Masons Honored
President Harding later laid the cornerstone of the new Masonic Temple.

The Henderson sailed for Wrangell at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

TOUCHES ALASKAN SOIL
METLAKATLA, July 9.—President and Mrs. Harding stepped on Alaska soil at 8:15 o'clock yesterday morning landing at this little mission station where they were greeted by Mrs. John Minthorn, aunt of Secretary Hoover and the entire population.

The Henderson steamed into the bay at 6 o'clock yesterday morning accompanied by whistles of the harbor craft and canning plant. A band on a tugboat had anchored most of the night at the lower end of Annette Island to greet the Presidential Party and then escorted the Henderson into the harbor.

President Harding was happy to see the first Alaska town.

The party landed, and after greetings by the committee on the dock, was taken to the school house and further extension of welcome was given.

Makes a Speech
While here a petition was presented to the President expressing their desire for a change in the fisheries law so the Indians could again catch enough fish in the fall to feed them in the winter.

The petition said the canneries have spoiled the hereditary occupation of the Indians, that they have lived on salmon but "what chance has a fish and one Indian" with fish-traps, weirs and pounds cluttering up the water and getting all of the salmon in the runs; moreover, during the runs they cannot sell to the canneries whose nets catch all the fish.

"We do not care for preferential rights," runs the petition, "nor for any privilege in the fisheries that may not be enjoyed by all other classes but we do appeal to the President and to Congress to abolish all executive privileges which includes traps or weirs and to enact such restrictive measures as shall apply to all fishermen."

The President listened to the petition, while young braves stood around and kodaked him.

Replying to the petition the President said he sympathized with the native hardships but the remedy could not be wrought by returning to primitive conditions as this would be against the law of God.

Pleasant Trip North
So far the Alaskan trip has been delightful and uneventful.

The President has spent much of his time on deck watching the mountain panorama on either side. He has played bridge with the Cabinet members and Speaker Gillette in the evening.

Yesterday he spent some time with Governor Scott C. Bone and the Indian Mayor of Metlakatla, getting the lowdown on the local Alaskan situation.

The perfect calmness and rest of the inland ocean voyage has done Mr. and Mrs. Harding a world of good. The President was a pretty tired man when he got aboard the Henderson after two weeks of incessant speech making and hand-shaking.

PROGRAM TO BE FOLLOWED WITH LITTLE CHANGE

Gov. Bone Wires Local Arrangements Approved—Will Arrive 10 A. M.

PROGRAM TUESDAY

July 10, 10:00 a. m.—Reception in harbor. Committee aboard Alma to meet Henderson. Procession to Governors' House under escort of the American Legion and Detachment of Soldiers from Chilkoot Barracks. Children in white to greet President and Mrs. Harding with flowers at intersection of streets. Possibly brief speech from porch Governors' House. Public reception at entrance of Governors' House.

11:00 a. m.—Trip to Mendenhall Glacier.

1:00 p. m.—Luncheon to President and other guests by Gov. and Mrs. Bone. Luncheon to visiting officials at Gastineau Cafe. Luncheon to newspaper men at Arcade Cafe.

2:00 p. m.—Conference at City Hall of citizens and Secretaries Work. Wallace and Hoover. Presentation of gold card to President at Governors' House. Presentation of gold desk knife to President by Scottish Rite Masons. Presentation to Mrs. Harding by Elks. Presentation to Mrs. Harding by the Pioneers of Alaska. Gift to President by Indians. Presentation to Mrs. Harding by S. E. Alaska Blue Fox Farmers' Association. Concert at Governors' House by Navy Band.

4:00 p. m.—Visit to Alaska-Juneau mine by Cabinet Officers and newspapermen (Interlude for rest and sightseeing.)

7:00 p. m.—Dinner to Presidential Party at Governors' House. Concert by U. S. Navy Band from veranda Governors' House. Dinner at Gastineau Hotel to newspaper men and other visitors.

9:30 to 11:00 p. m.—Reception to Federal, Territorial and City officials, Citizens' committee and wives, and visiting newspapermen at Governors' House.

July 11—9:30 a. m.—Departure of Transport Henderson for Seward.

FIRST CHIEF EXECUTIVE OF THE UNITED STATES TO VISIT ALASKA WILL BE GUEST OF THE CITY OF JUNEAU TOMORROW



PRESIDENT WARREN G. HARDING

GEN. PERSHING TO MAKE TOUR

WASHINGTON, July 9.—General John J. Pershing will make a tour of the summer military camps over the country according to an announcement of the War Department. It is stated his desire is to gain intimate knowledge of the progress being made in training camps for the development of an efficient peace time nucleus of a citizens' army provided for in the National Dispatch Act of 1920.

France and Belgium Not Be Affected By Pope's Action

PARIS, July 9.—The Franco-Belgian action against Germany in retaliation for the bombing of Duisburg will not be affected by the Papal representations at Paris, and Brussels it was said in official circles today.

Both France and Belgium reserve the right to take away any and all measures necessary to prevent a recurrence of such violence.

French Deputies Approve Pacific, Naval Treaties

PARIS, July 9.—The Chamber of Deputies has unanimously approved the Washington treaties relating to the Pacific. These treaties with the naval limitation treaties approved Saturday, will go to the Senate immediately.

During today's debate Deputy Archambaud, Socialist Radical, said the President of the United States expressed remarks "very fortunate not to say unfriendly to France."

"Camp Whipping Boss" Found Guilty Short Time

DAKE CITY, Fla., July 9.—Thomas Walter Higginbottom, "camp whipping boss," has been found guilty of second degree murder for causing the death of Martin Tabert, North Dakota boy, and has been sentenced to 20 years. He was released on \$10,000 bond pending hearing for a new trial. The jury was out one hour and 20 minutes.

DAKE CITY, Fla., July 9.—Judge W. A. McMullen late this afternoon denied the motion of a new trial for Higginbottom. The case will be taken to the Supreme Court.

PRESIDENT IS TODAY NEARING ALASKA CAPITAL

Harding and His Party Visit Wrangell—Speech Is Made to Citizens.

COMES TO ALASKA FOR "UNDERSTANDING" TRIP

Transport Henderson Leaves Wrangell for North—Is Due Here in A. M.

BULLETIN—The Transport Henderson sailed from Wrangell at 10 o'clock this morning toward Juneau. The transport should be in lower Gastineau Channel shortly before 9 o'clock tomorrow morning and should reach the Admiral Line dock at 10 o'clock.

WRANGELL, July 9.—(By Associated Press.)—President Harding landing here this forenoon, was greeted by 1,000 people of Wrangell and Petersburg and in an address delivered from the steps of the little courthouse declared he came to Alaska as an "apostle of understanding" and wanted his administration to go down in history as "a period of understanding."

Understanding, the President said, is what the world and nation most needs.

President Harding was welcomed and introduced by Rev. Diven, pastor of the Presbyterian Church and after he concluded his short speech, Secretaries Work, Wallace and Hoover spoke briefly.

The Presidential party landed at 8 o'clock to find the town, once the chief trading station of the Hudson Bay Company, decorated with flags and flooded with sunshine of a perfect summer day.

Here the party saw the first totem poles.

President and Mrs. Harding were presented with a huge basket of strawberries twice the size of the berries grown in the eastern states, and a bouquet of mammoth peonies.

OFF FOR WRANGELL
EARLY MONDAY MORNING, JULY 9, ABOARD U. S. S. HENDERSON WITH PRESIDENT HARDING.—(By Associated Press.)—The Naval trans-

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Liberal Laws Are Wanted for Alaska Says Judge Winn

SEATTLE, July 9.—Judge John R. Winn, former President of the Alaska Bar Association at Juneau, who has recently wound up his affairs there and is now enroute to Venice, Cal., declared here that unless the government lifts restrictions on the development of the coal and oil lands and liberalizes the policy of leasing timber lands, Alaska will be very much depopulated within the next 20 years.

Slays Husband; Admitted To Bail; Curses Hurdled

ANNISTON, Ala., July 9.—Evelyn S. Rickner, charged with killing her husband, James Rickner, Lieutenant, has been admitted to bail of \$3,000, with the testimony that he died heaping curses on her head.

Acquitted of Conspiracy Charge in Ten Minutes

PARIS, July 9.—Ernest Judet, charged with conspiracy during the war, has been acquitted after ten minutes deliberation today.

Fifteen Shots Are Fired At Atlantic Rum Runner

HIGHLAND, N. J., July 9.—A Coast Guard cutter fired 15 solid shots at a speedy rum runner last night. The runner escaped as did another that had taken on a cargo and made for shore. Shells dropped near enough to the rum runners to shed spray over the deck of the boats.

SEARCH FOR BALLOONISTS

Wide Search Made for Lieutenants Missing in Elimination Contest.

BULLETIN, Port Anseley, Ont., July 9.—The basket of the Navy balloon A-6098 containing one body was found fourteen miles southwest of here today. The body clad only in underwear, was lashed to the basket. Late this afternoon the body was identified as that of Lieut. Roth.

DETROIT, July 9.—The flying boat Duckeye carrying newspapermen returned here late yesterday after a fruitless 260-mile search over Lake Erie for Lieutenants L. J. Roth and T. B. Null lost when their balloon fell.

The two lieutenants were in a balloon leaving Indianapolis on July 4th in the elimination balloon race.

Woman Is Sentenced to Be Executed; Murder

NEW YORK, July 9.—Mrs. Anna Buzzi was today sentenced to be electrocuted during the week of August 6 for the murder of Frederick Schneider, wealthy Bronx contractor with whom she had lived for eight years.

North Dakota Section Is Struck by Downpour

CARRINGTON, N. D., July 9.—A terrific windstorm with a torrential downpour caused damage estimated at several hundred thousand dollars in this district last night. Reports are incomplete. No casualties have been mentioned.

Near East Conference Reported to Have Ended Satisfactory

LAUSSANE, July 9.—Ismet Pasha leaving the Near East Conference about midnight informed correspondents that agreements had been reached on all points.

WILLIAM DAY PASSES AWAY

Former Associate Justice of Supreme Court Dead at Home in Michigan.

MACKINAW ISLAND, Mich., July 9.—William R. Day, former Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States, died here at his cottage at 9:30 o'clock this morning. His son and daughter-in-law were at his bedside.

Former Cabinet Member.

The name of William R. Day is indelibly linked with that of William McKinley. When the latter was elected President, Justice Day was little known outside of Ohio, where he was born in 1849. He had graduated from the University of Michigan, studied law in a law office, taken a few law lectures, and began the practice of his profession. He had been elected judge of the common pleas court in Stark County, Ohio, when 37 years of age and in 1889, President Harrison had offered him the position of judge of the District Court for the Northern District.

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DAWN TO DUSK FLIGHT IS ON

MITCHELL FIELD, NEW YORK, July 9.—Lieut. Russell L. Maughan, piloting a pursuit plane, hoped off at 3:58 o'clock this morning on the first leg of his dawn to dusk flight across the continent. He planned to fly at the rate of 170 miles an hour over plains and 160 miles over mountains keeping an altitude of about 2,000 feet above the ground. He carries a letter from Secretary Weeks to President Harding which will be forwarded to Alaska.

BEHIND SCHEDULE.

DAYTON, July 9.—Lieut. Maughan arrived one hour and 35 minutes behind schedule having lost his way in heavy fogs and hazy atmosphere. He left here at 9:35 after a 25-minute stop.

His next stop is at St. Joseph.

Broken Rail Is Struck; Cars of Train Overturn

MAJAVE, Cal., July 9.—A Southern Pacific passenger train struck a broken rail near here last night and three baggage cars and three chair cars were overturned. One sleeper was partly overturned. Several passengers were hurt but none seriously.

Conspiracy Charges Fall Flat; Eight Are Acquitted

LOS ANGELES, July 9.—Two army officers and six civilians have been acquitted in the Federal Court on charges of conspiracy to defraud the government in connection with the sale of army goods at Camp Kearney. The trial was in progress for several weeks.

BROTHERHOOD PEACE BASIS

DES MOINES, July 9.—Brotherhood is only a basis upon which lasting peace can be built William Jennings Bryan told the delegates to the International Christian Endeavor Convention yesterday afternoon.

"But before peace can be established," continued Bryan, "the nations of Europe must learn the meaning of the word forgiveness."